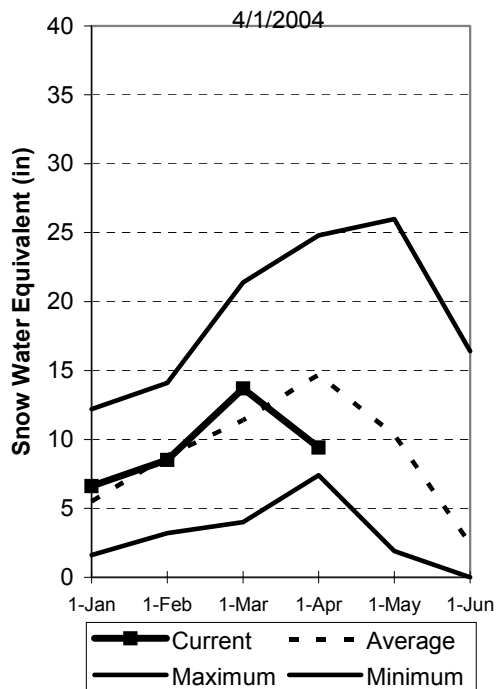


Sevier and Beaver River Basins

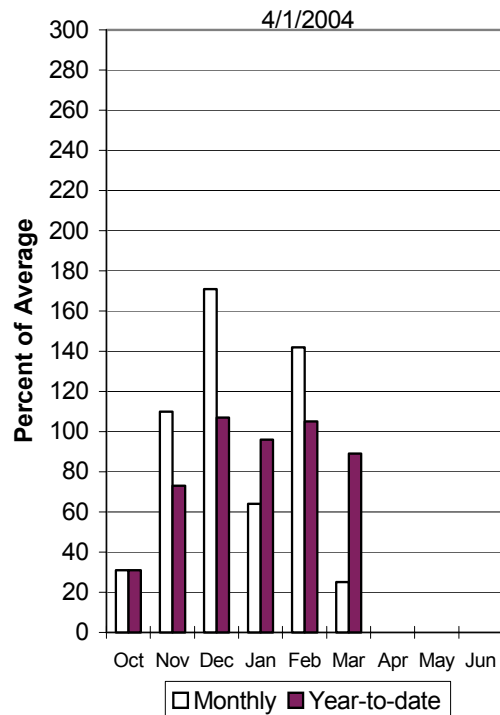
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Snowpacks on the Sevier River Basin are above normal at 64% of average, about 182% of last year, down 48% relative to last month. Individual sites range from 0% to 90% of average. Low elevation snowpacks are gone. Precipitation during March was much below average at 25% of normal, bringing the seasonal accumulation (Oct-Mar) to 89% of average. Soil moisture levels in runoff producing areas indicate about 5 inches (Sevier) and 8.5 inches (Beaver) of deficit in the upper 2 feet of soil. Streamflow forecasts range from 16% to 63% of average. Reservoir storage is at 31% of capacity, 3% less than last year. Surface Water Supply Indices are: Upper Sevier 27%, Lower Sevier 15% and Beaver 11%. Water supply conditions remain much below normal due to low snowpack, reservoir storage and soil moisture.

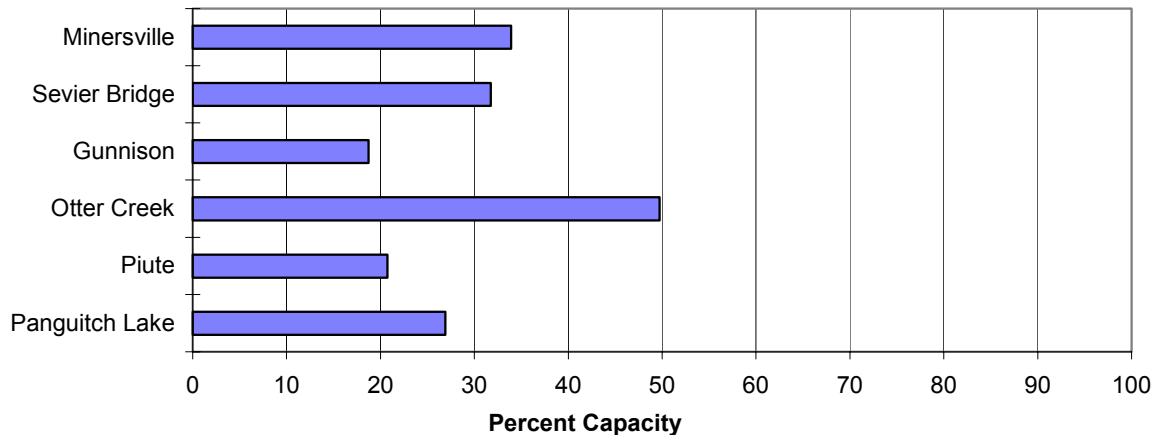
Sevier River Snowpack



Sevier River Precipitation



Reservoir Storage
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SEVIER & BEAVER RIVER BASINS
Streamflow Forecasts - April 1, 2004

Forecast Point	Forecast Period	<<===== Drier =====		Future Conditions =====		Wetter =====>>		30-Yr Avg. (1000AF)
		Chance Of Exceeding *						
		90% (1000AF)	70% (1000AF)	50% (Most Probable) (1000AF)	(% AVG.)	30% (1000AF)	10% (1000AF)	
Sevier River at Hatch	APR-JUL	4.9	16.6	23	42	29	41	55
Sevier River nr Kingston	APR-JUL	9.8	32	38	43	44	66	89
EF Sevier R nr Kingston	APR-JUL	3.8	16.2	24	63	32	44	38
Sevier R blw Piute Dam	APR-JUL	14.0	46	67	53	88	120	126
Clear Creek nr Sevier	APR-JUL	4.2	5.6	9.0	41	12.4	19.1	22
Salina Creek at Salina	APR-JUL			MUCH BELOW AVERAGE				19.7
Sevier R nr Gunnison	APR-JUL	50	46	120	43	194	325	280
Chicken Creek nr Levan	APR-JUL	0.65	1.09	1.49	33	1.97	2.86	4.50
Oak Creek nr Oak City	APR-JUL	0.42	0.63	0.80	48	0.99	1.31	1.66
Beaver River nr Beaver	APR-JUL	9.7	12.1	14.0	52	16.0	19.4	27
Minersville Reservoir inflow	APR-JUL	0.2	1.1	2.6	16	4.7	8.9	16.6

SEVIER & BEAVER RIVER BASINS Reservoir Storage (1000 AF) - End of March					SEVIER & BEAVER RIVER BASINS Watershed Snowpack Analysis - April 1, 2004			
Reservoir	Usable Capacity	*** Usable Storage ***			Watershed	Number of Data Sites	This Year as % of	
		This Year	Last Year	Avg			Last Yr	Average
GUNNISON	20.3	3.8	3.6	16.3	UPPER SEVIER RIVER (south	8	100	67
MINERSVILLE (RkyFd)	23.3	7.9	6.8	17.9	EAST FORK SEVIER RIVER	3	99	72
OTTER CREEK	52.5	26.1	32.4	43.5	SOUTH FORK SEVIER RIVER	5	101	64
PIUTE	71.8	14.9	2.5	58.5	LOWER SEVIER RIVER (inclu	6	63	56
SEVIER BRIDGE	236.0	74.9	93.5	189.7	BEAVER RIVER	2	103	82
PANGUITCH LAKE	22.3	6.0	4.0	152.9	SEVIER & BEAVER RIVER BAS	16	83	64

* 90%, 70%, 30%, and 10% chances of exceeding are the probabilities that the actual volume will exceed the volumes in the table.

The average is computed for the 1971-2000 base period.

- (1) - The values listed under the 10% and 90% Chance of Exceeding are actually 5% and 95% exceedance levels.
(2) - The value is natural volume - actual volume may be affected by upstream water management.